AI Fundamentals with Prompt-a-Thon: Microsoft Copilot Chat

Category: AI, Data & Analytics | **Vendor:** Microsoft Apps

Duration: 8.00 hours (1 days) **6.5 CPD Hours** **Rating:** ⭐ 4.6 (5,878 reviews)

Course Information

Delivery Format: Instructor Led - Online

Course Overview

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Who Should Attend

- Professionals across departments looking to improve productivity using Microsoft Copilot Chat.
- Employees with access to Microsoft 365 and Copilot Chat.
- No technical background required.

Prerequisites & Entry Requirements

General Prerequisites:

- No prior AI or coding experience required.
- Familiarity with Microsoft 365 apps (Teams, Word, Excel, Outlook, etc.).

Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this course, participants will be able to:

Define AI and explain how it applies to Microsoft Copilot Chat. Describe how Copilot Chat integrates with Microsoft 365 and supports productivity. Apply prompting fundamentals including instruction, role-based, and contextual prompting. Create and refine effective prompts for Copilot Chat to improve workflows and outcomes. Collaboratively solve real business problems using Copilot Chat in a guided Prompt-a-Thon. Evaluate the ethical implications of using AI tools such as privacy, bias, and transparency.

Detailed Course Outline

1 - Welcome & Overview

- Introductions and learning goals
- Overview of the day’s structure

2 - Introduction to AI Concepts Overview

- What is AI?
- Key terminology: models, prompts, hallucinations, bias
- Everyday examples of AI in action structure

3 - Understanding Microsoft Copilot Chat Overview

- What is Microsoft Copilot Chat and how it works
- Integration with Microsoft 365 tools
- Accessing Copilot Chat at https://copilot.cloud.microsoft/
- Live demo: exploring the interface and key features

4 - Prompting Fundamentals Overview

- What makes a good prompt works
- Core prompt types: instruction, question, role-based, contextual/few-shot works
- Live examples in Copilot Chat works
- Guided practice and iteration features

5 - Prompt-a-Thon Kickoff

- Overview of the afternoon challenge
- Group assignments and expectations

6 - Kickoff & Instructions

- Review challenge structure and judging criteria
- Emphasize collaboration, experimentation, and refinement

- Step 1: Identify a Workplace Challenge
- Step 2: Design & Test Prompts
- Step 3: Prepare Presentations
- Step 4: Team Presentations & Wrap-Up

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What delivery options are available for AI Fundamentals with Prompt-a-Thon: Microsoft Copilot Chat?

We offer multiple delivery formats:

- Live Instructor-Led Classroom Online (Virtual/Live Online)
- Traditional Instructor-Led Classroom Training (ILT)
- On-site delivery at your offices anywhere in United Kingdom
- Private dedicated courses customized for your team

Q: How many CPD hours does this course provide?

The 1-day AI Fundamentals with Prompt-a-Thon: Microsoft Copilot Chat course provides up to 6.5 CPD hours of structured learning. CPD certificates can be provided upon request.

Q: What is the duration of the AI Fundamentals with Prompt-a-Thon: Microsoft Copilot Chat training?

The training takes place over 1 day(s), with each day lasting approximately 8.00 hours including breaks for lunch and refreshments.

Q: Do you provide corporate training for AI Fundamentals with Prompt-a-Thon: Microsoft Copilot Chat?

Yes, we provide corporate training, dedicated training, and closed classes for AI Fundamentals with Prompt-a-Thon: Microsoft Copilot Chat. Training can take place anywhere in United Kingdom including London, Manchester, Birmingham, Edinburgh, or live online allowing teams from across United Kingdom or internationally to attend.

Q: Why choose Nexus Human for AI Fundamentals with Prompt-a-Thon: Microsoft Copilot Chat?

Nexus Human is recognized as one of the leading training providers. Our trainers have won multiple awards including:

- Small Firms Best Trainer Award
- National Training Partner of the Year (Ireland) - Multiple Years
- Global Top 30 Instructor Awards (2012, 2019, 2021)
- Tech Excellence Award Nominations
- Learning Performance Institute (LPI) External Training Provider Sponsor 2024

Q: Are there any discount codes available?

Yes! Use discount code **PENPAL5** when booking your AI Fundamentals with Prompt-a-Thon: Microsoft Copilot Chat training. Please note that only one discount code can be used per booking and cannot be combined with other special offers.

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